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NEW TIME CARD.

C. & O. Will Make Numerous Changes Next Sunday.

A new schedule of trains will go into effect on the C. & O. system on Sunday, July 1st.

The Big Sandy division will have several slight changes, and the addition of a Sunday train each way. This will be the train that leaves Pikeville at 6:20 a. m., and starts from Ashland on the return at 4 p. m. The passenger train leaving Ashland of mornings will not run on Sundays. The Sunday service will start July 1st.

The flag stations, Cherry, Hatfield and Chapel, will be discontinued and trains will not stop there after tomorrow.

The new schedule starts a train from Pikeville at 6:20 a. m., and it reaches Louisa at 9:30, Catlettsburg 10:35, Ashland 11:50.

A train leaves Ashland at 6:30 a. m., Louisa 7:50, Pikeville 11:25, a gain of 30 minutes in running time. The afternoon train down will leave Pikeville at 12:45, Louisa 3:55, Catlettsburg 5:00, arriving Ashland 5:15, a faster run than heretofore.

The evening train going up will leave Ashland at 4:00 o'clock, Louisa 5:20, Pikeville 8:30, which is 35 minutes shorter schedule than before.

The changes are not so radical as rumored some time ago, and there is an improvement in the speed of the trains. Mr. Freeman, the train master, feels very confident that this arrangement will prove very satisfactory to the traveling public.

The connection with the Lexington division accommodation train at 10:45 a. m., will be destroyed by a change on the main line, this train having been made to leave Ashland considerably earlier.

The Trainmaster says no cheap, liquor excursions will be run on Sundays, which is a matter for congratulation.

A report says that the fare will be somewhat cheaper on Sundays than on other days, but as to this we have no definite information.

It is said that another passenger crew will be added to the Big Sandy division.

Leo Frank.

A former Louisian who has not forgotten his old home, and whom our people are always glad to see, is Leo Frank, now a prominent and prosperous citizen of Jeannette, Pa. Mr. Frank was here this week after an absence of six years, and the greeting he received showed him that he was respected, as well as remembered. Louisa lost a good citizen when Leo cast his lot elsewhere, but the change was greatly for his good in all respects, and his former fellow-citizens rejoice with him in his prosperity.

TUSCOLA.

Whooping cough is raging, with some very sick children.

The Olovile Sunday School is progressing nicely. Olovile is no longer dead.

Mrs. Mary Webb, of Olovile, has been suffering very much from a catarrh on the hand. Dr. Hillman, of Glenwood, was called Sunday to lance her hand.

Mrs. John Rice is still confined to her room with but slight improvement.

While Sam Fannin was plowing last week the horse stepped into a hole and fell backward and rolled over a bluff and bruised himself all over.

Lewis Smith, son of Blind John, accidentally broke his arm a few days ago.

Miss Ethel and Maud Dean and Lizzie Lester went to Green Valley Saturday and returned Sunday.

Bob Davis has Lindsey Lester's collar completed. It is a model of neatness and speaks very highly of Mr. Davis' ability to work in stone.

Dick Frazier was the guest of Miss Essie Thompson Sunday.

Watson, who has been teaching in northern Miss. for several months, returned home last week looking fine.

Mrs. Sarah Watson and son Lewis visited Mrs. Jane Adkins Saturday, and Sunday.

M. J. Fanning, the noted lecturer, was here Tuesday and spoke twice in the Court House. He is above the average speaker in eloquence and all who heard him were greatly pleased.

Has Descendants Here.

The following dispatch from Stroudsburg, Pa., to the New York Herald has much interest to some of our oldest and best people. Mrs. Fred Moore, who has so many descendants in this and Boyd county, was a Vanhorn, or, as some spell it, Van Horne, and Mrs. James H. O'Brien is of the same old stock. Their ancestors came from Pennsylvania and were of the Abraham Vanhorn family:

Stroudsburg, Pa.—Believing that there are millions in New York City and Holland belonging at one time to the late Abraham Vanhorn, heirs to the number of nearly one hundred are preparing to make a legal fight to get control of the money. The local heirs have employed counsel and announced that a meeting of all the heirs, many of whom are scattered in Eastern Pennsylvania, will be held at an early day.

Escaped From Officer.

William Ratcliff, under bond of \$500 for shooting at Jim Parker, escaped Wednesday from Deputy Sheriff Gilkerson. Ratcliff had been tried that day on another charge and acquitted, and had been surrendered by his bondsman on the shooting affair to the officer. Ratcliff asked the sheriff to accompany him to Zeke Wooten's, near the first railroad trestle above town, and while coming from Wooten's he made the dash which resulted in liberty. By shutting a gate he got a start of the officer and out-ran him. Gilkerson fired twice at the fleeing man, but this added speed to his gait and he is still at large.

CHANGE IN FIRM.

C. T. Rule Sells His Interest in Wholesale Grocery Business.

The wholesale grocery firm of Dixon, Moore & Co. is undergoing a change. C. T. Rule is selling his interest to W. H. Adams and Eli J. Moore, of Cordell, Ky.

This is one of Louisa's largest and most prosperous firms. Mr. Rule has been in rather poor health for some time and this has had much to do with his decision to retire from the business. He is a good business man and has many friends. We have not learned what his plans are for the future.

Messrs. Adams and Moore are successful merchants and excellent gentlemen. Mr. Adams will move to Louisa and give his entire time to the business.

Appointed Administratrix.

On Wednesday last County Judge T. S. Thompson held a session of the Lawrence County Court for the purpose of appointing Mrs. McDonald Preston administratrix of the estate of her deceased husband. This was done, and Mrs. Preston qualified with her son John H. Preston and Clint Wallace sureties. John L. Hubbard, Ren Hinckle and Malcolm Burgess were appointed appraisers. John Preston owns the Richardson property, the homestead belongs to the widow, and the personality is thought to approximate \$2,300.

Murder Near Paintsville.

Last Monday night Sherman Castle, a coal miner, was murdered on his shanty boat one mile below Paintsville. He was shot through a crack in the boat, and former Town Marshal Price, of Paintsville, has arrested a man named William Welch, charged with the killing. An examining trial of the accused man was held yesterday but its result has not been learned here.

Welch claims that he and Castle had been close friends and that he will have no difficulty in proving an alibi.

The Todd County Progress speaks of a horse down that way which is said to be 40 years old. The Hoosier mule beats this aged critter by 22 years, authenticated. When you beat the Sandy region in wonderful things and strange happenings you must spit on your hands and come again.

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THE FOURTH

Will Be a Big Day in Louisa This Year.

The program for the celebration here on the Fourth is about completed. Reports from all directions indicate that a very large crowd will be here to help us celebrate.

The program stated very briefly will be about as given below. We could not get it in full detail:

Parade, 9 a. m., headed by Louisa Brass Band.

Music, Vocal and Instrumental, on platform in public square.

Oration.

Prize for prettiest girl on ground.

Prize for ugliest man on ground.

Dinner.

Base Ball, 1 p. m., Louisa vs. Kenova.

Music in public square, 3 p. m.

Boxing Match, men.

Boxing Match, boys.

Sack Race.

Wheelbarrow Race.

Foot Race.

Oss-legged Race.

Fire Works.

Little Cause for Complaint.

Owing to complaints received by him from Catlettsburg and Louisa to the effect that navigation was being interfered with on the Big Sandy, Representative Hopkins has caused an investigation to be made by the chief engineer, who reports that the dams were only interfered with for five or six days and are again in working order.—Washington telegram.

On all streams having a system of locks and dams there are times when because of accident one, sometimes all, the dams are out of commission.

That the dams on Sandy have been "interfered with" only five days speaks well, it seems to us, for their management.

Bad Wreck.

A bad wreck occurred on the C. & O. near the widow Rice's last Saturday afternoon. About 3 o'clock a west bound freight, heavily loaded, hit the curve just this side of the Rice place, and in an instant five loaded cars were in a jumble, spilling their contents, mostly lumber, all over the ground and tearing up several yards of track. Passenger trains 39 and 38 met at the wreck and passengers, mails and express were safely transferred. A wrecking train came up from Ashland and cleared up things. Nobody was hurt.

Sent To The Reform School.

Last Wednesday Isaac Chambers, a lad of 17, was tried before Judge T. S. Thompson, charged with threatening to shoot G. J. Carter, of Yatesville. He was sentenced to serve one year in the Reform School at Lexington and will be taken there next Monday.

H. A. Scholze, in charge of the government work at Ford, Ky., was here a few days recently. He left Monday, taking with him Mrs. Scholze and little daughter Virginia. They have comfortable quarters near Mr. Scholze's work and their stay is indefinite.

Last Saturday Bert Shannon and Billie Riffe, prominent Big Injuns of this place, went to Paintsville with Grand Chief of Records Ray, of Maysville. They transacted some business in Paintsville and then went to Whitehouse and organized a Tribe of 33 members.

J. P. Small and family were here yesterday from Borderland, W. Va., on their way home from Peach Orchard, where they went to attend the funeral of Mrs. John Tolbert, who died there a few days ago. Mr. Small holds a responsible position with the Borderland Coal Co.

Miss Schumaker, wife and children, of Canton, O., are the guests of Mrs. Hammond, of Fort Gay. Mr. Schumaker was a prominent business man of this section, and is prominent in business circles in his present home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. O'Neal and daughter, Miss Jett, and Misses Mex Carey, Lydia O'Brien, Cora Meek and Emma Johnston, "The Bandana Brigade" are out near Busseyville camping. They report a jolly good time again.

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Very Quietly Married.

Last Wednesday afternoon Mr. Reed Roberts, one of Lawrence county's best citizens and a well-to-do farmer, came to town in a nice buggy and behind a high-stepping young horse and drove to the residence of Mrs. Lou Chapman, a handsome and popular lady of this city. The lady seated the buggy, they to the residence of the Rev. L. M. Copley, and in short order, with neatness and dispatch, the couple became Mr. and Mrs. Reed Roberts. Soon after the ceremony they drove out to Mr. Roberts' farm, a couple of miles from Louisa. They will not remain there, however, as we understand it is their intention to occupy as a residence the comfortable property on the corner of Lady Washington and Pike streets.

The NEWS joins the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Roberts in hearty congratulations.

Railroad Police.

Under the provisions of the new law, which became effective on June 11 last, the railroad police appointed by the Governor are to be compensated for their services by the railroad corporation engaging them. It gives bond for the conduct of its police, and they are empowered with authority of a Sheriff or constable in the making of arrests on railroad trains or about railroad stations.

Garrett B. Wall, for the C. & O., has secured commissions for L. L. Scherer, S. I. Wadden, R. B. Payne, William Sheehan, J. M. Bingham and E. A. Puryear. The railroad company gives the official bond for these policemen. Payne and Jack Bingham are well known along this division.

COLLECTING TOLLS.

The New Bridge Was Put Into Use Wednesday Afternoon.

The Louisa & Fort Gay Bridge was put into service at 4 o'clock p. m. on Wednesday, June 27th. J. J. King, a "furrier," was the first person to pay toll.

Mr. L. R. Bane, the gentlemanly agent for the W. Va. Construction Company, and superintendent of the work of building the bridge, formally notified the Directors in open meeting that the structure was completed. The inspection had been previously made and the Directors announced to Mr. Bane their acceptance of the bridge.

Flem McHenry, the bridge keeper

elected in a former meeting, took

charge of the bridge and began collecting tolls.

The rates being charged are in accordance with the schedule published three weeks ago.

The Park.

Did you know Louisa had a park? You didn't? What would you call the beautiful grassy, shady, clean grounds around the Court House? In some towns it would have some high sounding name, the band would play at evenings, and the belles and beaux would be out, and every thing would be gay. We are glad to see so many of our people make use of the place, strolling about or sitting in groups, enjoying the shade and the breeze.

Major Warren, in charge of the government work on the Big Sandy river, was here this week on a tour of inspection. He had already examined the work at Catlettsburg and Kavanaugh, and on Tuesday he went up to Chapman. Lieut. P. S. Bond accompanied Major Warren on this trip.

The young ladies of the M. E. Church South will serve luncheons on the 4th of July in the yard surrounding their church. Cake and ice cream will also be served on that day. All are cordially invited to patronize them.

The piano in the case of most importance to Mr. Wood now is regaining possession of the \$300 piano put up as security by Mangold with J. H. Flannery, of Paintsville, Ky., the man who cashed the \$100 check to which Mangold had forged Mr. Wood's name. Mr. Wood will fight this point in the case through court. If the piano was put up as security, Mr. Wood will be able to regain possession, but if it was turned over to Flannery as a sale, then Flannery will doubtless retain possession of the instrument.

Dr. Jenks, the dentist, was called Friday to the home of Mr. Lee Garred, eight miles up the river, to extract a tooth that had laid him up in bed. The operation was successfully done.

PERT PARAGRAPHS

Picked Up At Pike, Paint and Prestonsburg.

B. F. Johnson, of the Northern Coal & Coke Co., who lives at Etty, Pike county, was in Pikeville recently on his return from Paintsville, where he met some Eastern capitalists. Mr. Johnson will employ a number of men and deliver 65 tons of sample coal on board of cars at the mouth of Shelly as soon as possible. This coal goes east for test.

R. A. E. Leslie, of Hager Hill, has secured the position of book-keeper for the East Kentucky Coal Co., of East Point.

Last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Boyd, of Paintsville, their daughter, Miss Wilda, was united in marriage to John Butcher, of Williamsport.

A wedding of interest to all was the one which occurred last week at the home of Mrs. Martha Hager, of Hager Hill, when her daughter, Miss Lula, was united in marriage to Mr. Garvin Stafford, of Johnson county. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Robert Robinson, and was most impressive, although witnessed by only the immediate family.

The Pikeville Fuel & Light Company has been organized. Drilling of wells on Hurricane will be commenced at once, and it is hoped that even cold weather gas will be piped into Pikeville.

The Marrow Coal & Coke Co. of Lookout, Ky., recently incorporated, has a capital stock of \$125,000 and will develop 1100 acres of coal lands on Marrowbone creek. This property is under lease from the Big Sandy Company, and both the lower and upper coal seams are being opened by drift mining, operated by an incline using monitors. When completed the plant will have a capacity of 1000 tons per day. Contracts for all construction work and supplies have been let, and plans are partially made for a central electric plant to supply power to the various operations on the creek. The company does not contemplate the construction of coke ovens at this time, but will probably erect 100 ovens later. Shipments of coal are expected to begin about September 1. The cost of the mining plant, exclusive of the power, will be about \$35,000. Officers of the company are Messrs. John F. McCracken, Lookout, Ky., president; J. M. Dissenbaugh, vice-president; F. N. Conn, Mansontown, Pa., secretary; D. R. Anderson, treasurer, and R. C. Peacock, Camden, N. J., general manager and consulting engineer.—Manufacturers' Record.

Plenty of good music will be rendered by choir, led by Prof. I. A. Belcher. Everybody interested in Sunday School work invited.

Dr. J. C. Hall, President, Isaac Cunningham, Sec.

We are sad to chronicle the death of Mrs. J. J. Gambill, who died

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM MANY STATES

Important News Gathered from Abroad for the Benefit of Our Readers.

At Yale, twelve miles from Owingsville, Harry Cole shot and instantly killed Ulrich Hart. The trouble was over family differences.

A cave on the Kentucky border not far from Jellico is the latest discovery. The claim is made that it has been explored nine miles thus far.

The University of Chicago has received a gift of \$260,000 from John D. Rockefeller, to be used for current expenses for one year.

W.H.A. Young, of Morehead, while in Lexington stated that he had been engaged as chief attorney for the Bergess in the trial for the alleged murder of J. B. Marean.

War has broken out in the lumber camps at Tioga, W. Va., between American and foreign laborers. The trouble originated over the displacement of Americans by foreigners.

King Haakon and Queen Maud were coronated in Norway Friday in strict compliance with the programme with great public enthusiasm prevailing and without the semblance of disorder.

Fifty houses were wrecked between Lawton, Okla., and Quanah, Texas, by a heavy windstorm. A passenger train near Lawton was nearly blown from the track.

Tuberculosis of the lungs and pneumonia were the leading causes of death in the United States according to a special report of mortality in 1904 issued by the Census Bureau.

President Roosevelt is said to have told callers at the White House that Bryan will be nominated by the Democrats and that Taft is the only man the Republicans can put up to beat him.

Mr. Sterling Price, who has recently returned from a tour of the world, has in his possession the oldest American silver dollar that we have ever seen. The date is 1795, only three years after the law establishing our coinage system was enacted. There are fifteen stars representing the fifteen States surrounding the Goddess of Liberty; on the reverse side is the American eagle.—Winchester Sentinel.

To have his heart taken out and particles of sand washed from it at least and still survive, has been the experience of C. A. McCutney, a Pasadena contractor. While riding a motor cycle he came in collision with a hay wagon, and a wooden prong pierced his breast. The surgeon found that particles of sand had been driven into the wound as far as the heart. They took that organ out, washed it and replaced it. Other internal injuries were attended to, and indications are that McCutney will recover.

Parkersburg, W. Va., June 22.—Eighteen million feet of natural gas is being consumed each day by a fire at the little town of Burnt House in Ritchie county. The flames are rising 500 feet in the air and the great fountain of fire at night illuminates the country for many miles. The vast column of fire away with the wind and its ever-changing position is watched by thousands. The well was drilled in and the tremendous pressure made it impossible to cap the hole. Workmen were endeavoring to stop the flow, when they saw a thunderstorm approaching. With millions of feet of gas escaping and the accumulation of twenty-four hours in a vaporous cloud above the well they knew the danger from lightning and left their work.

Hardly had they quit when a brilliant streak of lightning ignited the gas. There was a flash which lighted up the whole of Ritchie county. Men who have spent their lives in oil fields say they never before saw anything to equal the grandeur of the sight. No damage was done for the gas was not confined. The Mountain State Gas Company owns the well and hopes to get the gas extinguished in a few days.

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Judge Lassing, upon his qualification as Appellate Judge and the announcement of his candidacy, will retire from his position as member for the State-at-large of the Democratic State Central and Executive Committees, a part he has filled in the party for several years. The two committees will be called upon to select his successor, Louis Desagnets, of Lexington, is being spoken of about the Capital for this honor. He has long been identified with the politics of the Seventh Congressional District and in this end of the State, and it is said that he will undoubtedly be elected to the place.

Resources of Kentucky.

The subjoined article from the Manufacturer's Record makes timely and interesting reading for Kentuckians, particularly for us of the Eastern section:

RICH IN NATURAL ADVANTAGES.

This State, so rich in natural advantages, so abundantly supplied with resources out of which to create vast railroad traffic, has now but one mile of railroad for each of its twelve square miles of territory, and its possibilities in that particular are indicated by the fact that Massachusetts has one mile of railroad for less than four square miles of territory, and the New England States as a whole, with a combined area 50 per cent greater than that of Kentucky, have more than twice its railroad mileage, or one mile of railroad for each eight square miles of territory. There is no reason in nature why Kentucky should not equal Massachusetts' railroad mileage as compared with its area. When that equality shall exist, Kentucky should be able to surpass Massachusetts in manufacturing, agriculture and wealth, because Kentucky possesses advantages as to the material to be developed into wealth through industry which Massachusetts utterly lacks.

While there has been a marked improvement in the industrial development of the State during the last five years, the record of the twenty years from 1880 to 1900 is hardly commensurate with the natural resources of the State. The figures for these two years, 1880 and 1900, are as follows:

	1880.	1900.
Establishments	5,328	9,560
Capital	\$45,813,036	\$104,070,791
Wage earners	37,391	62,962
Wages	\$11,657,844	\$22,434,185
Products	75,483,377	154,166,365
Population	1,648,690	2,147,174

Kentucky has been blessed to an unusual extent in the abundance and variety of its resources. In its coal and timber and other raw materials it has the foundation for great manufacturing interests, and in its fertile soil it has the capability of providing an ample food supply for a great industrial population. In this combination of soil of exceptional fertility and a great mineral and timber wealth it holds an exceedingly strong strategic position.

A GREAT COAL AREA.

It has a coal area of 16,980 square miles, greater by 6,000 square miles than the coal area of Great Britain, but while Great Britain is annually mining 300,000,000 tons of coal, Kentucky is mining only 7,500,000 tons. The larger part of the coal measures lie in eastern portion of the State, where the conditions, such as natural drainage and ease of drift mining, give to that section advantages probably not surpassed elsewhere in the country, and where coals of the finest steam and coking qualities are found in vast abundance. The coal measures in the western part of the State cover about 5,000 square miles.

Throughout the coal regions of the State there is increased activity in railroad building and in mining operations. This is especially true in the southeastern portion, where a vast stretch of country long shut out from connection with the outside world is being opened up by new railroad lines. The extension of the Chesapeake and Ohio into the Elkhorn coal field, where coking coal equaling Connellsville and by some regarded as superior, will be followed by great mining operations in that territory, reaching through this Chesapeake and Ohio branch the lake regions and the Ohio branch the West.

Other roads heading from the Atlantic coast through the Carolinas to the Breaks of the Big Sandy and to other points in the same territory will give Eastern outlets. And so we may look for mining development in Southeastern Kentucky somewhat commensurate with the almost boundless wealth of high-grade coal in that district.

The naming of Judge Lassing necessitates the holding of an election this fall in the Sixth Appellate district to fill the vacancy caused by Judge Paynter's resignation, and the Governor's appointee will be a candidate, probably without opposition, from within the party. The counties of the district are Boone, Campbell, Kenton, Grant, Harrison, Pendleton, Bracken, Robertson, Nicholas, Mason, Fleming, Lewis, Greenup, Carter and Rowan. The judicial district which Judge Lassing leaves to become Appellate Judge is made up of the counties of Boone, Carroll, Grainger, Gallatin and Owen. The Governor will fill this place very shortly, and an election will also be held in this district at the November election.

Attorney E. H. Menifee of Williamson, Grant county, is slated for appointment to the judgeship vacated by Judge Lassing. Mr. Menifee is a well-known lawyer and is strongly backed for the office. The name of State Senator J. W. Cannanach, of Owen county, was mentioned some time ago for the appointment, but it is said here that he does not seek the place.

and the Levisa fork of the Big Sandy the field known as the Elkhorn Reg. The estimate was as follows for the Levisa fork:

	Tons.
Lawrence county	55,296,000
Johnson county	419,840,000
Floyd county	256,000,000
Knott county	64,000,000
Pike and Letcher counties	751,360,000
Total	1,546,496,000

For the Tug Fork Valley the estimate was 670,720,000 tons, making a total for the region of 2,217,216,000 tons, and even this estimate has since then been increased 100 per cent. It is generally accepted that this Elkhorn coking coal region, which for the first time has been opened by the \$4,000,000 branch of the Chesapeake and Ohio, is one of the most important coal centers of America, destined by reason of the exceedingly high character of the coke which is produced to have a very important bearing upon the iron and steel interests of a large part of the West.

INCREASED COAL PRODUCTION.

The production of coal in the whole State in 1880 was only 946,000 tons. In the next ten years it increased to 2,701,495 tons, by 1900 this had increased to 5,328,964 tons, and last year the output was 7,750,000 tons. In contrast with the 250,000,000 to 300,000,000 tons which Great Britain has been annually producing for many years out of an area of 10,000 square miles, this output of less than 8,000,000 tons from a coal area of 16,600 square miles is triflingly small, but in this contrast it is seen something of the vast possibilities of the coming years.

Another fuel, natural gas, is being utilized in a number of communities, the production having quadrupled in the past ten years, while the production of petroleum has increased from 62,259 barrels in 1900 to 1,966,000 barrels in 1905. Other minerals in the State include fluor spar, the shipment of which, beginning about 1870 in Western Kentucky, now amounts to about 25,000 tons a year, the largest in any part of this country, zinc, the development of which is a recent thing, iron ore, lead ore, fire clay, limestone, sandstones, asphalt rock and material for the manufacture of Portland cement.

MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS.

The total value of manufactured products, \$154,166,365 in the last census year, \$25,204,788 represented the products of industries based upon mining and quarrying, and the value of the output of that industry was nearly \$8,000,000. With liberal support by the State of the revived Geological Survey, already doing splendid pioneer work, a vast expansion may be expected in this mineral industry, furnishing the fuel and the material for the manufacture of iron and steel products, metal products other than iron and steel, clay, glass and stone products, and chemicals and allied products.

Another source of wealth is in the woodworking industry, in which only a beginning has been made. Taking lumbering as the indicator, it is found that the value of the products increased between 1880 and 1900 from \$4,064 to \$13,774,911, the capital invested from \$2,290,553 to \$9,805,404, and the number of establishments, logging, sawing and planing, from 676 to 1,280. In 1900 the reports of 265 lumbering establishments with a capital of \$2,644,006 reported ownership of 332,649 acres containing 1,787,290,000 feet. The entire cut of that year for the whole State was as follows:

	Feet.
Conifers	34,602,000
Ash	4,377,000
Black walnut	2,113,000
Poplar	279,740,000
White oak	392,804,000
Other hardwood	63,082,000
Total	777,218,000

Last year 431 firms from whom reports were received reported a cut of 36,000,000 feet of conifers and 431,000,000 feet of hardwoods, a total of 467,000,000 feet. In these facts is an

island of the potentiality of this industry. The 208 lumber concerns which in 1900 reported an ownership of 382,649 acres covered less than 700 square miles of the 22,200 square miles of the wooded area of the State, 53 per cent of its total area, one of the greatest hardwood storehouses in the country. If this great lumber territory should develop an amount of merchantable timber equal to that reported as the average of the 208 establishments, or 4,700 feet to the acre, the potential cut of the State would be 66,777,600,000 feet—a quantity vast enough to last for many years even should no effort be made to grow new forests. It is not necessary, however, for Kentucky to destroy such a magnificent storehouse. That State has before it the sad experience of nearby States as a result of the wasteful methods of lumbering born of the American idea of being so great that there is no limit to capacity.

PRESERVATION OF FORESTS.

Kentucky may apply the lessons and steadily increasing its income from its forests and from the handling and manufacturing of the products of its forests it may preserve these forests forever. As yet, despite the almost boundless wealth of its hardwood timbers, Kentucky has developed but a very light furniture manufacturing business or other lines of fine-finished lumber products. In this respect it might learn a very profitable lesson from the history of the little town of High Point, N.C., which within the last ten or fifteen years has developed a furniture manufacturing industry that now gives profitable employment to forty or fifty furniture factories, shipping their products as far West as the Pacific coast and as far East as Africa. There is room in Kentucky for a number of High Points.

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Eastbound Local Trains.

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Never fails to restore gray hair to its former black color.

Cuts scalp diseases & hair falling.

5c, 10c and \$1.00 at Druggists.

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County News Items

Interesting Facts Gathered During the Week by Our Regular Correspondents.

MARVIN.

There was a pie supper at Green Valley June 23rd. There was a good time for everybody.

There will be church at Marion the first Sunday in July by Bro. Miller. Mrs. Broske Carter and daughter visited Sarah Cooksey Thursday.

Miss Gipsey Vanhorn visited Miss Lizzie Elswick Saturday and Sunday. Andy Cooksey and family visited Walker Sexton Sunday.

Old Aunt Mary Cooksey is very ill. Mrs. Lula Foster and Fred Cooksey attended the pie supper at Green Valley.

Mrs. Effie Rister visited her aunt, Mrs. Sarah Cooksey.

Mrs. Stella Howard and sister, were shopping at Marvin yesterday.

Harkless May was on our creek Sunday.

Mrs. Rebecca Fulse and children are visiting Mr. Andy Cooksey from the West this week.

George Carter shot and wounded Ike Chambers badly.

Ben Vanhorn and daughter Glynn were shopping at Slabtown Thursday.

Are glad to say we are to have a new store.

A. J. Cooksey and wife are shopping in Cincinnati, buying dry goods of all kinds.

Claude York, of Catlettsburg, visited Hattie Cooksey last week.

Dave Foster and W. M. Riley passed down our creek Sunday.

Andy Kitchen visited Lizzie Elswick Sunday.

Harmon Kitchen brought his little son back from W. Va., to bury him last Monday.

Nona Cooksey and sister Ada were visiting their aunt, Mary Daniels, last week.

Viry Cooksey was visiting Hester Daniels, last week.

Little and Fay Cooksey visited Edna and Alice Stewart Sunday.

Lee Cooksey and family will leave soon for Elmo, W. Va. They will sell their farm.

Andrew Howard was shopping in Louisa last Saturday.

Miss May Foster was shopping at Marvin Saturday.

Harve May and Judge Woods passed down our creek with a fine drove of cattle last week. Honeysuckles.

LONG TENNESSEE FIGHT.

For twenty years W. L. Rawls, of Bell, Tenn., fought nasal catarrh. He writes: "The swelling and soreness inside my nose was fearful, till I began applying Buckle's Artes Salve to the sore surface; this caused the soreness and swelling to disappear, never to return." Beat salve in existence. 25¢ at A. M. Hughes, Druggist.

KETURAH.

There will be an ice cream festival and box social at Fallsburg the second Saturday night in July for the purpose of getting money to clean and fence the grave yard on the Fallsburg hill, where sleeps the departed loved ones of many people now living in Lawrence, Boyd, Carter, Johnson, Floyd and Pike counties, as well as at Fallsburg. We now invite the many good people of our country to come and help us in this work, that by so doing we show our love for our departed friends and our respect to the living. So this entertainment will be in memory of the dead, and we hope to have a good, quiet time.

Our Fallsburg Sunday School treat and entertainment will be the first Sunday and first day of July. We also invite our many good friends and Sunday School workers to meet with us on that day, and hope that God will bless us in the good work.

The Sunday Schools at Green Valley, Long Branch, McDaniels, as well as Fallsburg, are in a flourishing condition. May God bless our labors.

WAGONS AND BUGGIES.

The famous Birdsell wagons are sold by Snyder Hardware Company and they have a large stock. Also have Weber wagons at a less price. Buggies of various kinds at the lowest prices for which they can be sold.

We like best to call

SCOTT'S EMULSION

a food because it stands so emphatically for perfect nutrition. And yet in the matter of restoring appetite, of giving new strength to the tissues, especially to the nerves, its action is that of a medicine.

Send for free sample.

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you and \$1.00 all druggists.

BOONE'S CAMP.

Jesse Daniels, son of Ham Daniels, of Williamsport, got killed in a mine in W. Va. last week, and was brought back home for burial. He leaves a wife and child.

Mrs. H. B. Hewlett and children visited friends and relatives here recently.

There is lots of business going on here in the way of lumber and tie jobs, which gives employment to quite a lot of men.

Your scribe spent a month recently in Coburn, Va., where he went to do some repairs on some property he owns there. It is a thriving mining place, situated on the Clinch Valley division of the N. & W. R. R. in Wise county. Altogether there are about 6000 men employed, mostly at mining and coke oven work, which makes plenty of money and also crime and wickedness.

Mrs. Jao. B. Wells, of Upper Greasy, visited Mrs. W. G. Wells, Jr., last Sunday.

Rev. Cline, of the Christian Church, preached at this place Sunday.

G. Perry, an old citizen of this place, has been very sick, but is getting better. Also, Mrs. Nora Wells wife of Ed. Wells, but she is better.

The "Mules" hold forth here every Friday night, but we are fearful that their manner of doing things here is not up to the standard of pure mutual protection, as set out by the principles of the society. They get down to foolishness in reporting every little frivolous thing that happens, which when proven amounts to nothing, and the Judge and Magistrates have caught and refuse to issue warrants on their reports. They also go to extremes in getting up a case.

While the principles and purposes of the society are good, it is a pity to have the good it might do killed by the actions of a few members.

Atty. M. L. Robinson, S. W. Ward and N. R. Sturgill went to Martin county on business recently.

Zephaniah Wells, captain of Greasy base ball nine, went to Paintsville last Saturday and played Paintsville second team, defeating it badly.

George McGlossom made a trip to the Upper Sandy country recently.

A terrible hail storm passed over a section of the country about one-half mile wide last Tuesday, doing great damage to growing crops.

Wild Bill.

GEORGES CREEK.

We are sorry to say that the death angel visited our vicinity on the 14th night of June, 1906, and took from the home of Ballard Castle his darling wife. She fell a victim to that dreaded disease consumption, and suffered for about four months, but alas, her sweet life went out and her soul was waited home by angels where sickness never comes.

She was converted before she died and the writer was there and saw her clasp her hands and heard the sweet halloujahs ascending to the dazzling throne of God. I wish to say to Bro. Castle, weep not for Francis, for she has gone to that blest land where there is one bright summer always, and storms never come. But prepare to meet her when this life is over. Then if faithful to the end you can hear the Savior say, "Son, here is your darling wife that I have been taking care of so long for you. Enter then into the joys of the Lord and be with her forever."

And to the children I want to say when you see mamma again you will not see her with closed eyes and pale face, but you will see her face shining with radiance and a starry crown upon her head, and shouting the praises of God throughout the never ending cycles of eternity.

To her brothers and sisters I want to say that you have so often visited your sister and she has visited you—you have paid the last visit to her that you can pay in this life, but will she visit you again? Yes, according to God's word, she will be a ministering angel and will watch over you.

Brother Castle and loving children and all her friends, if you ever see Francis again you will have to go to Heaven. You can visit her grave where the body is moldering back to dust, but the soul has gone to God.

T. B. C.

The advertising rates charged by the BIG SANDY NEWS are lower per hundred people who read it than any paper in Eastern Kentucky. The real value of advertising is based entirely upon this one point. Any one who will give the matter the slightest thought will realize this.

SKAGGS.

Death came to Rev. D. Grimsley Saturday, May 26, 1906. The funeral services were conducted Sunday by Rev. Powell Ferguson and his son, Thurman. The text was chosen by Mr. Grimsley, and will be found in II Timothy, iv chapter and 6, 7, 8, verses. He was buried on a point near C. C. Holbrook's home.

He was born in Ash County, North Carolina, February 8, 1839; joined the Baptist Church in the 14th year of his life. Mr. Grimsley was a faithful minister of the Gospel for 33 years. He married Miss Lizzie Wyat in N. C. Dec. 2, 1860, and in the spring following joined the Confederate army and served a faithful soldier for three years and seven months. Then he moved to Missouri and lived there six years. The climate was not suited to his wife's health, so he moved to Kentucky and lived here till his death. He was 67 years, 3 months and 18 days old.

Mr. Grimsley was a kind husband, a loving father, a brave soldier, and a most excellent man in all respects, worthy of the high esteem in which he was held by his friends and neighbors. No man or woman who knew him will doubt for an instant that the faithful old preacher's translation from earth to heaven was done when the breath left his frail body. He was the father of six children, three boys and three girls, three of which stood with beaming hands to meet father in the Glory Land.

A loving wife and three children are left to mourn their loss.

Some very serious accidents occurred at the steam mill at the mouth of Keaton's fork last Friday. Very soon after steam was raised the millstones burst and some very painful wounds received. Solomon Sparks, James H. Holbrook, and Harrison Skaggs were the most unfortunate ones.

Measles is raging in this neighborhood.

The social given by Miss Mary Gambill last Saturday night was enjoyed by all present. 2 Friends.

MARVIN.

Farmers are badly behind with their crops in this section, and they think they will have a pretty good crop of Spanish needles.

Sunday School is progressing nicely at Green Valley with good attendance. There will be a pie-mite at Green Valley Saturday evening at 4 o'clock.

Several of the girls and boys attended the examination at Louisa Friday and Saturday.

The farmers say they are sorry to lose their friends the locusts since they have had so much good music while they stayed.

Quite a number of young folks attended Sunday School at McDaniels Sunday.

P. B. Sagraves will start soon for the head of Sandy river where he is going to work.

Austin Riffe is contemplating a trip to the head of Tug river soon.

Blue Bill.

NEW CURE FOR EPILEPSY.

J. B. Waterman, of Watertown, O., rural free delivery, writes: "My daughter, afflicted for years with epilepsy, was cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills. She has not had an attack for over two years." Best body cleansers and life giving tonic pills on earth. 25¢ at A. M. Hughes drug store.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Whereas, the Great and Supreme Ruler of the Universe has in his infinite wisdom removed from among us one of our worthy and esteemed fellow-laborers, Harry Ramey, son of Dr. Frank Ramey, and Secretary of East Point Union Sunday School and.

Whereas, the intimate relation held with him in the faithful discharge of his duties in this society makes it eminently befitting that we should record our appreciation of him, therefore, be it

Resolved, that the duty which he has so earnestly and faithfully performed in aiding us in our organization by service and contribution will be held in grateful remembrance.

Resolved, that the sudden removal of such a life from our midst leaves a vacancy and a shadow that will be deeply realized by all the members and friends of this organization, and will prove a serious loss to the community and public.

Resolved, that with deep sympathy for the bereaved family of the deceased we express a hope that even so great a loss to us all may be overruled for good by Him who doeth all things well.

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Be it further resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the records of this organization; a copy sent to the Fairmont Herald and Big Sandy News for publication, and a copy forwarded to the bereaved family. Committee,

R. A. Burks,
C. H. Burke,
Laura Moles.

Hammocks, croquet sets, and baseball goods at Conley's.

O B I E.

Twin Branch is certainly coming to the front. We have two very interesting and successful Sunday Schools and church service every Sunday. Since they quit selling whisky the boys who once disturbed our services with their drunken yell have joined our classes in scripture lessons and are becoming the moral sons of toiling and prayerful mothers. May God help us to keep our country pure and free from that accursed stuff so detestable to the youths of our land.

Mrs. Jay Rose, of Council Grove, Kansas, who has been visiting relatives here for several weeks, left Monday for her home.

Mr. McKinster and Miss Hughes, of Charley, are visiting friends and relatives here this week

Kay Adams is on the sick list.

Will Cyrus has gone to Loop creek. We are soon to have a new road leading from Twin Branch to Morgan Creek. This will give us a much shorter and more direct route to Yatesville and Fallsburg.

Sam Jobe is having a house built, into which he expects to move soon completed.

Whooping cough is quite an epidemic on Morgan creek.

Bill Crabtree attempted to kill a small boy by shooting at him with a shotgun recently. The boy, however, was not injured as the enraged man missed his mark. The trouble grew out of the circumstance of Crabtree's cow breaking into a pasture field. No arrest has been yet made.

Mrs. Josie Rose is very ill. Dr. Hall is the attending physician.

Master Homer Jobe has whooping cough.

Frank Bradley, our very efficient singer, deserves much praise for the interest he takes in furnishing our Sunday School with vocal music.

Observer.

FALLSBURG.

Farmers are having a busy time and plenty of rain. Crops are looking fine.

During a storm last week R. M. Curmite had the misfortune to lose a horse by lightning; also Sam Skeens had a finger broken.

The mill at this place is being run regular, as Blaine has kept flush this season.

Mrs. H. C. Austin has been very bad with something like heart failure. Sabbath School every Sunday at 9 a.m. A. Harman as Sup't.

John Heaberlin and family are visiting his mother-in-law, Mrs. Cooksey. The Sabbath School at this place is preparing to have a candy treat Sunday, July 1. Everybody invited.

Misses Myrtle Caines and Della Crank were visiting friends at Potter one day last week.

Misses Nancy and Flora Cooksey were visiting home folks last week.

Miss Jessie Crank has returned to Catlettsburg. Also, Miss Rosa Cooksey has gone to Ashland.

Ask such a woman if she would like to be well; to be her husband's comrade, her child's playmate. Could there be but one answer?

Such a woman can get well if she will. All her symptoms indicate a diseased condition of the delicate womanly organism. Cure that condition and the woman will be lifted up to the full enjoyment of health.

In ninety-eight cases out of every hundred Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will cure womanly diseases, will restore the womanly health. It has cured tens of thousands of women many of whom had been given up by physicians and friends. It is essentially a medicine for woman's ills. It dries enfeebled drains. It cures female inflammation and ulceration. It cures female weakness and bearing down pains. It tranquilizes the nerves, restores the appetite and gives refreshing sleep.

"Favorite Prescription" differs from almost all other medicines put up for woman's use in that it contains no alcohol and is entirely free from opium, cocaine and all other narcotics.

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FRIDAY, June 29, 1906.

Charles Murdock, 105 years old, died in Tennessee. He was the State's oldest citizen.

A movement has been started to organize the "Independent" Mine Workers of West Virginia."

Nine Toledo ice men were fined \$1,000 each and sentenced to serve one year in the workhouse for violating anti-trust laws.

Judge James Hargis, under indictment for the murder of J. B. Marmon, said at Beattyville that he is ready for trial next week and his only fear is that the Commonwealth will ask a continuance.

Governor Beckham has done credit to himself by appointing J. C. C. Mayo the member from this Appellate District of the State Board of Agriculture. This board is advisory to the Commissioner of Agriculture and act in conjunction with him.

Gov. J. C. W. Beckham has formally announced himself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the United States Senate in a card which he addressed to the Democrats of Kentucky. He said he would interfere in no other race, and expected to make the campaign on a high plane, although believing that his opponents would fight him from ambush as well as in the open.

Mayor Tom L. Johnson, of Cleveland, has accepted an invitation to preside at the reception to William J. Bryan in Madison Square Garden on Mr. Bryan's return to this country. Henry Watterson will deliver an address on behalf of the South, and Alexander Troup, of New Haven, Conn., will speak in the name of the East. The name of the speaker for the West has not been announced.

FALLSBURG.

Sunday, July 1st, has been decided upon by the Sunday School to hold Children's Day service. Everybody expects a good time.

We had one of the worst thunder storms last week the people of this section have ever known. There was a great deal of hail in it, and the wind blew down a number of fences. A horse belonging to Reuben Curnutt was struck by lightning. At the head of Fuller's branch the water came down the hill with such force that it swept every thing before it. Samuel Skeens had one of his hands badly mashed among the logs.

Geo. Clark and family are visiting his father-in-law, Jas. Rice.

Edward Webb, who has been clerking in the store for Simeon Collinsworth, at Rochester, Pa., has resigned his position and accepted one with the Adams Express Co.

Nora and Dora Woods have returned from a visit to their brother, John Woods, at Zelma.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Collinsworth and son Grover spent Sunday with Mrs. Collinsworth.

Pearl Frasher visited on Catt Sunday.

Henry Biggs was up Saturday.

We are all glad to know that the road from Fullers to Fallsburg is going to be worsened with the road machine.

John Ekers has the contract for culvert at Fullers.

U. E. S.

Get the Habit and buy your Groceries from

BEN W. HACKWORTH.

He has opened up with a fresh lot of **GROCERIES** and will give you the right prices.

TRY HIS NEW LINE OF COFFEE.

Tay a Bottle of Solarine for Polishing Gold Silver, Brass Nickle, Tin etc.

Fresh Bread.

You will find the Home Bakery's Bread fresh every day. Try a loaf!

Bring in your Butter, Eggs, Hams, Etc.

BEN W. HACKWORTH, Louisa, Ky.
Opposite Court House.

BUSSEYVILLE.

There will be an ice cream festival at Forks of Little Blaine Saturday night, July 7, for church and Sunday School purposes. All are invited.

The "Bandana Brigade," under the control of W. D. O'Neal, Jr., and wife, are having the most pleasant time in camp imaginable. Their camp is a nearby house where ghosts are unknown, bats, owls and bats are often seen. The whole brigade feast upon mulberries and green apples quite ravenously, and little Freddie can tell you the rest. Oh! it's jolly to live in the country at this time of year.

H. W. Bursey, wife and Master Reynold have returned from a week's vacation at Germantown.

Mr. and Mrs. Stant Miller, of Charley, visited home folks Sunday.

Rev. O. G. Ragan finds most pleasing attraction at Prosperity, and his previously arranged appointments (?) are promptly filled.

Charley and Roe Talbott have gone to Roanoke, Va., where they will spend a few "fleeting moments" during the summer.

Mrs. L. C. Talbott, we are sorry to say, is no better, having been sick quite a long time, and the country so accustomed to her condition had not noticed her present decline. The attention of the church members of the Blaine circuit is hereby called, and it is hoped that ready response will materialize. The preacher is faithful in the discharge of his duties as pastor, but his good wife needs more attention than she is getting, for she is in such poor health.

Thad Ransom was in our town buying hogs last Saturday.

And now as an appendant to the above we wish only to say that the stork has been in the home of James Compton, our genial blacksmith, and left a 12-pound boy, much to the delight of James, who is now stepping as high as a—well, "a blind dog in a meat house." If folks want to see a proud father come over and see Jim.

Paul, the infant son of Gilbert Hawkins, is now better, but last week his recovery was not expected.

Buckskin Boss.**FALLSBURG.**

There will be church here next Sunday at half-past two o'clock.

Mrs. George Clark and children, of Catlettsburg, are here this week.

Jim Compton, of Marvin, was here Sunday.

Fred Billups, of Kinner, attended Sunday School here Sunday.

Mrs. L. V. Caines is very sick.

John Heaberlin and family, of Kaymoor, are here visiting home folks.

A crowd of girls and boys from this place are going to attend the Sunday School convention at Mt. Zion the 29.

The little daughter of Mrs. Sam Caines is better.

Clarence Dilley, Lafe Cooksey and Ben Caines were all in Catlettsburg Monday.

Miss Sallie Dilley has returned from East Liverpool, O.

Mrs. A. Collinsworth was in Ashland last week.

Miss Dossie Rice is expected home soon.

A County Girl.**UPPER HOLLOW.**

James Miller, Tom Miller and Master Bryan, of Lick Creek, were visiting relatives at this place Sunday.

George Cheek made a business trip to Nat's creek recently.

Lafayette Thompson is doing laying by corn.

Mrs. Laura Shannon, who has been suffering from asthma, is somewhat improved.

Alfred Peterman visited home folks Sunday.

Bennett Cox will return to Thacker soon.

John Hayes, of Adams, passed here Monday.

Brown Eyes.

Ice Cream Freezers, Hammocks, Croquet Sets—all for less money than ever before sold in Louisa.

Racket Store.**HULETTE.**

Rain has been so plentiful in this locality of late that the work of harvesting and in the corn has been seriously retarded.

Wm. Hogan and son, of East Fork, were here today on cattle business.

James Evans, a prosperous farmer of Prosperity, was a business visitor here Monday.

L. E. Bradley, of Fallsburg, is here today. Bradley will teach the school at this place again this year and the district is well pleased.

Quite a number of Lawrence county pedagogues, among them Wm. Bellomy, Jas. L. Moore, Sammy Diamond, Elijah Rice, Miss Thurza Shortridge and others, have been seen in our neighborhood recently.

Thos. L. O'Daniel passed by Squire Compton's place the other day and reported to his neighbors that he feared the "Squire" was losing his mind. He said that Compton had a coffee sack tied around his head and was beating on a bee stand with a 20-ft. pole. But after investigating the matter it was discovered that some of his bees had swarmed and Squire was trying to drive them, but he only succeeded in killing the swarm or scaring them away.

Kinner Harmon was up from Bear Creek yesterday, and reports that he will have his new store building at that place completed and ready to open by the 4th.

More wheat has been harvested in this neighborhood this year than ever before. Wm. Wooten and Lewis Nunley are the largest wheat growers.

J. E. Leslie and D. A. Daniel were business visitors at Ashland this week.

J. M. Evans is at Jno. E. Queen's place this week on business connected with the company that bought the fine \$3,000 German Coach horse.

Mary Queen, who has been quite sick, we are glad to say, is much improved.

Thos. Chaffin, who is at work in the machine shops at Portsmouth, visited home folks Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. Cassidy preached an interesting sermon here Sunday.

We are very sorry that the esteemed correspondent from Tuscola is in such a "befuddled" condition mentally that he can imagine such a thing as a comparison between items from correspondents and the croak of bull-frogs. We fear he is not yet sufficiently aroused from his chronic lethargy and is troubled with hallucinations. Would recommend that "Grammar Ike" consult a brain specialist before the symptoms become violent, for when the wheels get to buzzing sufficiently for a man to hear bull-frogs croaking, etc., his condition has almost reached the alarming stage.

Sybilla Silver.**ADELIAINE.**

Lumber and timber hauling seems to be the business of the day.

Miller, Bellomy & Co. are sawing a fine lot of timber preparatory for shipment of the C. & O.

Casper Miller, wife and children, of Savonsburg, Kans., are visiting relatives here and at Catlettsburg.

The recent hard rain did a great deal of damage to the lands in our vicinity.

V. B. Shortridge, of Little East Fork, was here this week.

Pharaoh Miller spent Sunday with Cannonsburg friends.

A. J. Petry was recently informed that his son-in-law, Wm. Austin, of Smoot, W. Va., is very low with consumption and is likely to live but a few days.

Alex Simpson, of Russell, was calling on our merchants this week.

W. M. Burton, of Mavity, was a business visitor at Adeline this week.

By the looks of the berry pickers on the hill side it seems that the raspberry crop will soon be gathered.

Preaching at Tyree 3rd Sunday and baptizing at Rockford was largely attended, with 8 being baptized.

The Sunday School of this place is progressing nicely.

Anna Rankins and Cora Rigsby were shopping at Adeline this week.

Mrs. Mag Vanhorn, who has been very ill for some time, we are glad to say is able to be out again.

Hence Vanhorn and wife were the guests of her parents on Brushy fork of Bear Creek Sunday.

Tobe Caldwell and Joe Handley, of Durbin, attended church at this place Sunday.

Miss May Henderson, of W. Va., and Oll Bryant were visiting relatives on East Fork Saturday.

Misses Nora, Sophie and Lucy Ross attended church at Durbin Sunday.

Pansy.

SMOKING in a POWDER MAGAZINE.

Is courting death more suddenly but not more surely than neglecting kidney disorders. Foley's Kidney Cure will cure a slight disorder in a few days and its continued use will cure the most obstinate cases. It has cured many people of Bright's disease and diabetes who were thought to be incurable. If you have kidney or bladder trouble, commence taking Foley's Kidney Cure today, before it is too late. Sold by Louisa Drug Co.

"THE BIG STORE"**Special Offerings for this Week.**

We have had such remarkable success with our anniversary sale this year that we feel very much pleased and we know that our customers are. As a natural consequence such a sale always leaves some odd sizes and broken lots of good seasonable merchandise, but in such quantities that it does not constitute an assortment; therefore we are offering all such stock this week at great reductions to clear them out. Many of these offerings are for half price and are really worth double.

A Surprise Shirt Waist Sale.

This offering consists of all our stock with an entirely new shipment just received making our stock the best and most complete in this section. Prices are cut to the bottom notch. Waists which should sell for \$1.25 to \$1.50 at 75c during this sale. Other prices in proportion.

875 Beautifully Trimmed Waists at Sacrifice Prices.

The quantity is as large as is ever found even in the big city stores and the prices are lower than you will find anywhere. The best opportunity to buy your shirtwaists you will find this summer, and to make the offer more tempting we will sell you a skirt if you want a suit at half price, and we always carry something a little different than you find elsewhere.

It pays to come to "THE BIG STORE" for bargains. We don't claim to be better than the best; but we are better than the rest every time when it comes to giving the public values and good sound merchandise.

Remember you are always welcome to make our store headquarters when in the city and you will find it a convenient place to meet your friends. "Meet me at the Big Store" is quite a common expression.

Valentine & Newcomb,

Huntington, W. Va.

WALBRIDGE.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Burt Calaway, a fine girl. Burt is all smiles.

Charley Maynard and Henry Holt were here recently.

Cell Chapman passed through here Saturday.

Walter Carr has enlisted in the army and will leave soon for Columbus barracks.

Samuel Workman is visiting relatives at Pikeville.

There will be a Sunday School convention on June 30th at Mary's Chapel, on Lick Creek. Everybody come.

Miss Bevile Curnault went to Louisville Saturday.

John Sammons was here last week.

Fred Sammons passed through here Saturday.

Misses Jennie Wellman and Myrtle O'Brien were calling on relatives at Gallup last week.

Miss Myrtle O'Brien is calling on relatives at Louisa this week.

For a good hair cut, shave or shampoo go to Ira Wellman's up-to-date shop at Arlington Hotel. New and modern appliances.

SAWMILL MACHINERY.

For easy and rapid cutting our mills are unsurpassed. Prices reasonable. Terms to suit purchaser.

MONT HOLT, Louisa, Ky.

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Big Sandy News

FRIDAY, June 29, 1906.



Johnnie Wanted Cannon Crackers.

Johnnie he's got pants on;

He ain't a kid no more,

He wants cannon crackers

That make a thunderin' roar.

He broke his cap pistol;

He says they're baby's toys,

He wants cannon crackers

Like all the other boys.

Papa bought the crackers;

This filled John with great bliss

There was a loud explosion

this,

like

went

Johnnie

Poor

—Brooklyn Eagle.

A FIERY ORDEAL.

We're very patriotic;

The simple truth to state.

When'er July the Fourth arrives,

We wildly celebrate.

Johnnie has the lockjaw,

Willie's lost an ear,

Mary's burned her eyebrows off

And looks extremely queer.

Mother has hysterics,

Father's burned his arm;

When we see a lightning bug

We shudder with alarm.

A battle soon is over;

Many miss its fate,

But it takes a heap of courage

Every year to celebrate.

—Washington Star.

Insure with Wallace. Life, Fire,

accident, etc. Office near depot.

New Hats at Justice's every week.

Luther Atkins has been sick several

days.

Oranges, Lemons, Bananas at Sul-

livan's.

Everything fresh for Saturday at

Sullivan's.

Southern German Millet Seed at

Sullivan's.

Base ball goods of all kinds at

Tenley's store.

Hats! Hats!! Price them and take

em at Justice's.

Can price Millinery Sale at Pierce

& Derrick's.

Great chance to get up-to-date mil-

linery at cost. The Racket Store.

The lawn fete at Mrs. J. W. Yates'

was postponed until Tuesday, July 10.

Johnnie and Miss Carrie Jones,

both of Fallburg, were married in

Ironton last week.

LOST:—Gold Lock Bracelet, each

link carved. Reasonable reward paid

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Expert painting, paper hanging and

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for figures.

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cies of the season Tuesday evening.

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this chance to get the most stylish

goods at actual cost. At the Racket

Store.

FOR RENT—Cottage on Franklin

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Josephine Rice, 440 4th ave., Hunt-

ington, W. Va.

The ice cream sale held by the

ladies of the M. E. Church, South,

was well attended, the sum of \$16

having been made.

The Racket Store has just received

a new line of Shirt Waists for Misses

and Ladies. Also Ladies', Misses' and

Children's Hats.

Mrs. Sarah Marion died a few ago

ago in Catlettsburg. She once lived

in Louisa, and was the daughter of

Mr. John Whitt, deceased.

There will be an ice cream festival

at Evergreen Church at forks of

Little Blaine Saturday night, July 7.

All are invited, as arrangements are

being made for the best time of the

year.

CLEARANCE SALE!

Don't miss the big sale that will

take place at Justice's store the 4th

of July and continue until the last

piece of summer goods is sold. A

nice line of slippers, embroidery and

a thousand other things that would

take too much space to mention.

Ladies' and children's hats at your

own price.

W. M. Justice.

Green Beans, Strawberries, New Potatoes, Pineapples at Sullivan's.

The Lawrence County Teachers' institute will be held at Louisa during the week of July 23rd, with Prof. Elam as instructor.

Dr. Grover Meek remained only a short time at his home and has gone to Bluefield, W. Va., to begin the practice of his profession. Good luck to him.

The Baptist Church was filled morning and evening last Sunday, the occasion being the visit of Rev. J. M. Ready, of Ashland, who preached two able discourses.

Circuit Clerk Bert Shannon, Sachem of the Louisa Lodge of Red Men, has been appointed Deputy Grand Sachem for the State. This is quite a distinction for Mr. Shannon.

TO MOTHERS IN THIS TOWN.

Children who are delicate, feverish, and cross will get immediate relief from Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children. They cleanse the stomach, act on the liver, making a sickly child strong and healthy. A certain cure for worms. Sold by all druggists, 25c. Sample FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, New York.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

For the benefit of those wanting to take ice from us this summer will say that we will have at all times a large stock ample to supply the largest or smallest user, and will deliver any amount at any time. There will not be a day throughout the summer that we can't furnish you all the ice you want. Our wagon makes regular deliveries every day and Sunday, too. All orders will be appreciated, and have our personal attention.

WEBBVILLE.

F. R. Moore went to Denton and back today.

Judge Woods went to Freeport for a drove of hogs.

Charley Gillen and wife, of Ashland, who have been visiting at Blaine, went home today.

William Chaffin is here on his way home to Blaine.

Roberts, the spoke man, is loading cut staves for the Exchange.

Mr. Pennington returned today from Washington.

Young Fife, who has been 3 years in the army, came home today.

There were 54 teams coming business in Webbville today.

Monroe Walters and son are here visiting his daughter, Mrs. Leah Thompson.

Mr. J. H. Bayless, of Grayson, agent for lots in Ingersoll, Okla., is here and doing a nice business in the sale of lots.

Lindsay Lester, of Catt, is here to take Aunt Nancy Lester to his home.

The body of Spencer Perkins' grandson was brought home from C. andburg today. He died of fever.

Mrs. Stambaugh and son are here from Lexington.

Nathan Gamblill, of Caines creek, is trading here today.

W. W. Shoff, of Denton, who has been visiting home folks on Brushy, was here today on the way home.

Mr. D. McDermott and Tip went to the head of Caines creek to Steve Lemmon's mill this evening.

Sixty stave teams in today.

All the way up Cherokee and Blaine the roads are miserable. We are badly neglected.

Dick Lyons is here with his granddaughter to see a physician.

Mr. and Mrs. Hines are here, going to Blaine.

Arch Foster is here from Huntington.

Jones the huckster took all the chickens and eggs out of Webbville.

Constable Joe Fields took up two of Bill Green's hogs under the hog law and a big law suit will follow.

F. R. Moore bought a pair of blood hounds from Milt Sweetman and sent them to the marshal of Holden, W. Va.

Mrs. Jennie Cole and two children are here visiting her father and mother.

Tray Sprague has gone to Catlettsburg to visit his wife.

Dr. Dyer, a dentist from Vermilion, is here visiting the family of Henry Fischer.

Judge Woods is poorly but able to about.

We at Webbville can't understand why no road overseers are appointed for the roads about here.

There has been but one sheriff here since the election. (Glad your people are so orderly.—News.)

Roads terrible, nearly impassable. During the past two months the

roads.

Misses Ethel O'Brien and Mary Jones came over to spend Sunday with Uncle Tip and numerous other relatives.

Will Cole came over from Garner to see Mrs. Mate Farley and F. R. Moore's family.

Out here we are all for Governor Beckham for Senator.

PIT.

PERSONALS.

B. F. Thomas was here Tuesday night.

Mrs. Maud McClure was here recently.

James Heron has been to Scarey, W. Va.

Geiger Burgett, of Huntington, was here Monday.

Laurence Gentry spent Sunday with Louisa friends.

Stanton Evans, of Huntington, was here over Sunday.

T. J. Snyder has been visiting relatives in Ironton.

Thomas Salter, wife and daughter were here Monday.

Lieut. Halstead, U. S. A., was here from Huntington Monday.

Clarence Howes, of Kansas, was here Monday visiting relatives.

Mrs. A. J. Conley and Mrs. A. O. Carter visited Richardson lately.

C. C. Bowles, of Pikeville, was a business visitor in Louisa last week.

R. C. Biggs, who paid a recent visit to his brother Dr. Biggs, has gone home.

Mrs. Margaret Moore, of Lockwood, was the honored guest of relatives here lately.

W. O. Pierce, formerly C. & O. ticket agent at this place, was here Wednesday.

Mrs. Sam Savage, of Ashland, came up Saturday and remained with friend until Monday.

Bascom McClure and family, of Graham, Va., are visiting relatives in and around Louisa.

Miss Pearl Diamond and Mrs. Charles Diamond, of the Deephole country, were here this week.

Henry G. Snyder, of Lexington, was here this week visiting his parents and other relatives.

Mrs. J. C. Adams and daughter have returned from a visit to relatives in Delaware, O.

Miss Mary Harkine, of Prestonsburg was the guest of R. T. Burns' family from Saturday to Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wolford, bridge people who had been boarding with Mrs. Ella Hays, have gone home.

Mr. Roberts, the spoke man, is loading cut staves for the Exchange.

Mrs. Pennington returned today from Washington.

Miss Nancy Jones, of Sweetwater, Tenn., is the guest of Mrs. George Wilson and other Louisa relatives.

Charles Russell, of Ashland, spent Sunday with the family of Col. Jay H. Northup. Mrs. Russell and the children are here.

Mr. Shipman is at home a few days this week, leaving Mr. Gentry to look after matters in Ashland and to wish that he, too, were in Louisa.

Mrs. William Martin, of Salem, Ill., was here recently, the guest of Mrs. Hannah Lackey. Mrs. Martin is Miss Maggie Savage, and is a native Louisan.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Burns went to the Bear Creek country Thursday and will stay until Saturday, attending on that day the Mt. Zion Sunday School Convention.

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THE FARM.**ALFALFA EXPERIENCES.****HOW MUCH ALFALFA TO START WITH?**

As I am well aware seeding to alfalfa is costly, yet a farmer wishing to try it should not be over-cautious.

For years it was my desire to have an alfalfa field, but from what I read from time to time I thought my land unsuitable, as I have at least one-half dozen kinds of soil on my farm, none of it in any quantity supposed to be alfalfa soil. So I stood back and swallowed my disappointment as best I could. Less than five miles from me I knew of two or three seedings on ideal alfalfa land. One day when ten miles from home I saw a seeding on cold, undrained clay land such as I was led to believe was entirely unsuitable for the crop. I at once said that if that land would grow alfalfa mine would. And I at once began to plan the seeding of 11 acres.

Had I failed, instead of succeeding, I would doubtless have made another trial.

There is about one acre of black soil in this field, underlaid with yellow clay, and probably but a few feet to water. Two or three spots of tough red clay, with limestone pebbles two or three feet down. Most of the field can properly be called clay upland on the thin order, the kind that good white oak timber grows on, with an occasional sugar tree. Without ample tile drainage the crop on about two-thirds of the 11 acres would have failed in two or three years. About eight acres of this land has near 50 rods of tile per acre, and needs a little more.

I do not advise men to start with a small plat unless there is none growing in their section of the country. With one-half acre or an acre the crop is more apt than not to be put aside for some more important crop and prove a failure, because it is not properly cared for. It is strictly a business crop, and must have business care and attention.

A second seeding of ten acres last spring failed because the nurse (robber) crop of oats got it, but reseeding in August gave a fine stand. And while all the field of about eight acres thought to need tile drainage has about 50 rods per acre. I think the freezes so far this winter have found small spots where more tile is needed, showing by some of the plants being lifted.

In the field five years old I notice an occasional plant dead, and the main root stands four to six inches above the ground. But these are not the largest, strongest plants, and may have been injured by the horses or machinery worked over the field last season.

The cleaner of weed seed the land is the better success the seeder may expect. Fox tail is probably its worst enemy the first season. Next, crab grass that is ready to take up vacancies for years when the weather favors its growth.

It is a good plan first to put the land to corn and give absolutely clean cultivation then plow the land early next spring, and give it a few workings at intervals of a week or ten days to kill all sprouting weed seeds. Then in May, after a shower of rain, work the land again, and seed at once to alfalfa, using twelve to sixteen pounds of seed per acre.

The only advantage I can see in using more seed is to secure a greater number of the stronger class of plants.

I notice along the banks of a small stream in my field where the roots are exposed that some of the plants have roots two or three times as large as others. These larger roots will remain the longest, and the more there are of them the longer the field will remain valuable.

If more of them can be had by heavier seeding then it is advisable to use the larger amount of seed advised by some. One farmer that sowed over 30 acres last spring with oats as a nurse crop and lost the seeding says had he sowed it alone he would have secured two crops of hay that would have been worth more than the oats crop.

If sowed to clean, strong land a cutting of hay can often be had in less than 60 days after sowing, but old experienced growers do not advise this, but rather to clip for the first season, and not try to make hay.

Ross county, O. John M. Jamison.

OHIO METHODS.

From an editorial in a recent issue of The National Stockman and Farmer I take it that most of the readers have come to properly appreciate the great value of alfalfa. If this be true, I regard its position among the forage crops of this section as practically established; since a proper appreciation of its real value as a soil builder and as a feed by the farmer means a persistent effort to establish it on his farm, and a persistent effort usually means success.

The difficulty seems to be in ob-

taining an even stand.

My limited experience in growing this plant extends over a period of about six years, but during this time it has been the subject of close observation.

Our soil here is partly red clay and partly black land. It has been farmed for a long period, but produces corn and clover, our principal crops, to good advantage when a rotation is kept up. The subsoil is mostly a permeable clay.

When one attempts to grow alfalfa he must not expect to get something for nothing or the usual results must necessarily follow, sad disappointment.

In selecting a spot with which to experiment we ought to play fair and give it a show for victory. At least do not select that part of your farm on which everything refuses to grow successfully. But, you may say you can not afford to lose the use of good land for one year and add a big expense for seeding. But let us make a few calculations. Here are the returns of seeding 15 acres last year:

Cost.
20 bu. barley 75c per bu. \$15.00
3/4 bu. alfalfa seed \$10.25 33.31

Return.
300 bu. barley 40c per bu. 120.00
12 tons alfalfa hay Sept. 1, \$6 per ton 72.00

48.31

Net income \$143.69

My yield of barley would have been much greater had it not been so wet that much of it was wasted.

Be generous now and give it above all a place where the subsoil is not too dense and where it contains some moisture. If the surface soil is poor in humus and inclined to be hard give it a heavy coat of manure and plow it under. If this field was in corn the previous summer very well, if it is clover the year before so much better. What alfalfa needs the first year is enough humus in the soil to make it hold moisture and enough nitrogen from decaying clover roots or stable manure to carry it to the place where it can draw on the supply in the subsoil and atmosphere. For this outlay it will repay you four-fold. Look with suspicion on the spots where corn and clover never grow well, as they require much the same food elements.

However, instead of a lack of plant food the trouble may lie in some other cause; too much water or too much acid. The land should be thoroughly underdrained. Lime will cure the acid and permit the alfalfa to thrive. In heavy clay soil where the surface water does not soak away rapidly, freezing and thawing are almost sure to throw the roots out upon the surface. This may be relieved largely by a heavy coat of manure on these spots and the drains at frequent intervals not too deep. If the field grew many weeds or fox-tail the summer before it should be plowed, thereby turning under the weed seed and corn stubs and making a loose soil to hold moisture. Disking will suffice if the field is free from weeds, but this should be done thoroughly.

Smooth the surface and pulverize well. Thus far I believe about all alfalfa growers agree, but as to when and how to sow they do not.

I have studied the matter very carefully, and for my own sowing I should choose late in April or early in May, with about one bushel and one peck of spring barley as a nurse crop. Some advocate sowing without any nurse crop, but I find many failures as a result of this method, simply because the weeds took the place of the barley and killed the alfalfa. If you are determined to sow without a nurse crop it is better to wait until July or August to avoid weeds, but at this time one is likely to fall for lack of moisture.

D. J. Wheeler, M. C. J. C. C.

If all stock is kept from it the first season it will be more likely to withstand the winter.

If any excess of surface moisture exists in places in the field you need not expect it to come out of the test in the spring without the smell of fire on its garments.

Up to this time, under ordinary conditions, you ought not be out of pocket one cent, the barley and alfalfa clipping paying its way the first summer.

Should you find when the smoke clears away in the spring that a small spot here and there is almost totally destroyed don't be discouraged. This only serves to show you where something is needed. If too wet drain, if too much acid put on lime, disk thoroughly, sow oats and more alfalfa seed and clip it every time you cut the rest of the field. Nine chances of often ten your stand will be complete the next year. Now since we have reached the point where we have a stand of alfalfa, what shall be our future course?

Just keep on cutting from three to four crops each year as long as you desire. It ought not to deteriorate in from 10 to 25 years, but in three or four years the ground will be full of nitrogen and it will perhaps pay to utilize it in a corn crop or two, after which it may be put back to barley and alfalfa.

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Champaign county, Ohio.

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The following statement by H. M. Adams and wife, Henrietta, Pa., will interest parents and others.

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Commissioner's Sale.

John Hays, Pliff,

against

R. V. Nickell, &c, Deft.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Johnson Circuit Court, rendered at the June term thereof, 1906, in the above styled cause, the undersigned will, on Monday, the 16th day of July, 1906, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m., and 2 o'clock p. m., at front door of the court house in Louisa, Lawrence county, Kentucky, (being County Court day), proceed to expose to public sale, to the highest bidder, the following described property, viz:

A certain tract or parcel of land, situated, lying and being in Lawrence County, Kentucky, on Rock House fork of Blaine creek, and being in same land conveyed H. H. Nickell by M. S. Burns, Commissioner for John Travis, etc., on the 3rd day of March, 1891, and recorded in deed book No. 27, page 414, Lawrence County Records, for more specific description of said tract reference is had to said deed. Pay the interest of R. V. Nickell, Laura B. Nickell, S. B. Nickell and Stella Nickell will be sold.

Or a sufficient quantity thereof to produce the sum of \$1772.03, the amount of money so ordered to be made, and the costs thereof.

TERMS—Sale will be made on a credit of six and twelve months. The purchaser will be required to give bond with approved security, for the payment of the purchase money, to have the force and effect of a Replevin, bearing interest at rate of 6 per cent per annum from the day of sale until paid with a lien reserved upon said property until all the purchase money is paid.

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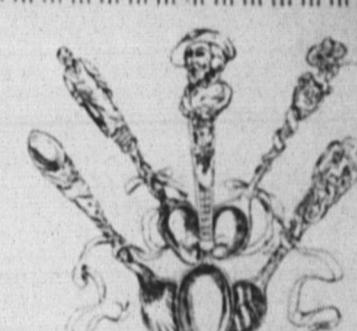
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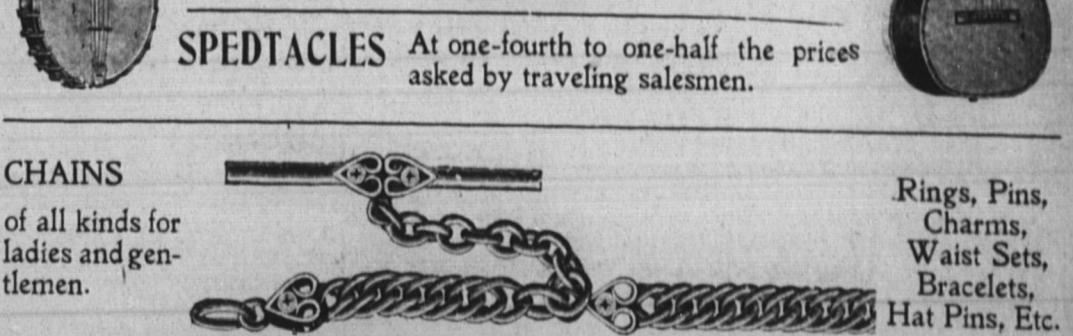
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A REAL DAUGHTER OF THE REVOLUTION

By CAROLINE GEBHARDT.

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SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I.—Story opens on Ellery plantation in South Carolina in time of American revolution. Col. Bessemer and British dragons arrive and ask accomodation. Miss Ellery, daughter of her father and mother who are Tories. During breakfast the officers are disturbed by firing, and an American officer dashes through the lines and disappears.

CHAPTER II.—Storm delays departure of British soldiers, and Col. Bessemer, quite willing to remain in the company of Miss Ellery. During dinner a strange figure with black face and covered with a mask enters dining-room and gives Miss Ellery a note.

CHAPTER III.—British officers started by appearance of stranger, but did not recognize him in Capt. Worthington, who they much wished to capture. He was a British lover. Miss Ellery. That night the British were attacked at Ellery plantation, and many of them killed and wounded.

CHAPTER IV.—Miss Ellery starts on a walk to her aunt, a patriot. Capt. Worthington is captured on the road. They quarreled because of his slight attack on guests at her home which was led by him. He tells her that Col. Bessemer wants his engagement to her.

CHAPTER V.—Capt. Worthington proposes to Miss Ellery and is to have his answer later—possibly when he has returned from a campaign against Col. Bessemer.

CHAPTER VI.—Col. Bessemer proposes to Miss Ellery and is to have his answer later—possibly when he has returned from a campaign against Col. Bessemer.

CHAPTER VII.—Bessemer surprises Sumter's troops and captures a number of them. In the evening he and his troops return to the Ellery plantation where a mysterious prisoner of some kind is held captive. He is sent to the prison. The officers entertain the loyalists of the neighborhood at a ball in the evening. One of the guests tells Bessemer of Worthington's love for Miss Ellery.

CHAPTER VIII.—While Bessemer is recusing Miss Ellery of being in love with a rebel his soldiers bring in another captive whom she recognizes as Capt. Worthington.

CHAPTER IX.—It is then a few minutes before midnight and Bessemer orders the prisoner to be hung at one o'clock.

CHAPTER X.—Miss Ellery plans another method for the escape of Worthington, and impersonates her brother by dressing in one of her brother's uniforms. She succeeds in getting one of the guards supposedly coming from Bessemer to go at once to a threatened point of attack, she volunteering to guard the prisoner.

CHAPTER XI.

THE BARGAIN.

"Jane," said Worthington quietly, "when they had gone, 'do you know the terrible risk you are running in this mad attempt?'"

In her tomboyish days he had more than once seen Jane dressed in her brother's clothes and heard her fully mock his voice and ways, for in truth Jane had no little talent as an actress. On her part, she avenged no surprise at his recognition.

"Yes," she answered to his question, drawing her cloak about her to conceal as much as she could her male attire, "I know it all, but I do not care. I do not even care that I have just implicated my brother in a way that may make it most difficult for him to extricate himself. I must, I will save you, and when that is done I shall go to Col. Bessemer and tell him all."

"What will you tell him?" Worthington asked.

"I shall tell him that I could not permit him to commit a ruthless murder; to soil his hands with blood in this cruel fashion."

The American drew back. "Ah, that is it," he said bitterly. "It is to save him from murder, to keep his hands unsoiled, you do it; it is for his sake—I might have known."

She had unbound his arms by now, and stood off from him. "Capt. Worthington, permit me to advise you to go at once."

"Go?" he cried disdainfully. "Go and leave you to face alone the consequences of your rash action? No; I might be that Col. Bessemer would not properly appreciate the effort you have made to prevent his doing that which is his chief daily amusement. I shall seek the gentleman and put myself again into his hands, with the request that he make quick work of me."

"Godfrey!" Even that very dull young man could not fail to interpret the cry of pain and entreaty. "Jane!" He possessed himself of her hands, but she snatched them from him.

"Oh, go," she besought. "If ever you cared for me, if ever I was caught to you, go. Do you not see that my heart is breaking with fear?"

"It is possible you care for me Jane?" he asked, too flushed with sudden joy to have mind for aught else. "Is it not Bessemer you love, after all?"

"Bessemer?" she repeated, throwing back her head with her familiar gesture of disdain and speaking in a tone of scorn that ill became one who had only that morning been tempted by the British colonel's silver tongue. "Roused at last to the necessity of grasping this chance of escape by her expositions, he turned to her, his eyes looking at him with cold surprise. Apparently Miss Ellery was astonished that the bargain she offered should not be more eagerly accepted.

Bessemer noted this with some interest and with pleasure too. It pleased him that she seemed to have no objection that she had done aught which could make her less acceptable in his eyes. Had she turned to him as a suitor, he would have scorned her; but she came as a purchaser who offered a price which she evidently considered high; and Bessemer was too human not to value that which was offered him at much the value at which it was offered.

"You are willing to accept an offer which I made you sometime

since?" he said slowly. "Ah, yes; I remember—for your hand against this fellow's life; and you would have me renew it now that you might give your hand to me and your heart, together with his life, to him. A charming bargain, truly."

"You refuse, then?" She turned away with the air of an empress, drawing her cloak about her, and apparently forgetful that she wore not sweeping trains, but trod instead in dragon boots.

Bessemer's breath came more quickly. "One moment, my queenly Jane," he interposed. "You seem most ready to accept refusal at my hands, which makes me think that after all the bargain you offer is not so bad. You are a most enchanting puzzle. One instant, I am convinced your heart is all this rebel's; yet, were it so, methinks you would not be so willing to abandon your attempt to buy his life. And if I do agree to give his life in exchange for your plighted word, what then? Is it to be understood that I am to have the right to claim you for my wife whenever I so choose? I am no believer in long engagements, nor in procrastination either in love or war; nor do I propose to be put off with one excuse and another. Come, Jane, if I let this fellow live, will you be mine on any day that I may set, or at any moment that seems to me most expedient?"

Jane turned slowly. "Have you not my word?" she demanded. "I wonder that you care to wed one whom you seem to trust so little; but since you wish to add another to your demands, I will consent provided you permit me to add to my conditions. I will agree to marry you whenever you shall choose upon the promise that you not only spare Capt. Worthington's life upon this occasion, but that you bind yourself to never again strive to take it from him except in fair fight upon the field of battle."

"Upon my word," he remarked, sneeringly, "this friend Worthington of yours seems to stand mightily in need of feminine protection. It is usual to expect that an able-bodied man will have sufficient prowess and bravery to fight for the preservation of his life himself without having to be hedged about with defences brought by a woman."

"I believe," Jane returned, "it is also usual to expect a man to have sufficient attractions to win a wife without resorting to bargain and sale to secure her."

Bessemer bowed low. "A fair retort," he observed; "one which but equals in brilliancy all that falls from your lips. Your piquancy of speech, dear lady, has largely fixed me in my determination to possess you for my own. One need never fear an inspired life when it is sauced by your tongue."

"Sir, you have heard my last condition. Do you accept it?"

"And you accept mine, I do."

(To be continued.)

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dread disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundations of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address,

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FEEL IMPENDING DOOM.

The feeling of impending doom in the minds of many victims of Bright's disease and diabetes has been changed to thankfulness by the benefit derived from taking Foley's Kidney Cure, a well-known incipient Bright's disease and diabetes and even in the worst cases gives comfort and relief. Slight disorders are cured in a few days. "I had diabetes in its worst form," writes Marion Lee, of Dunreath, Ind. "I tried eight physicians without relief. Only three bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure made me a well man." Sold by Louisa Drug Company.

Home Circle Column.

A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as they Join the Home Circle at Evening Tide.

Good resolutions need more winding up than an eight-day clock.

The best way to keep the boys at home is to make it an object for them not to go out to seek amusements, for these they will have. Every farm ought to be made a very heaven on earth to its inmates. Not alone the farm home either but all the houses in the land. Learn each child's nature, and then work some home charm to keep him in your circle.

Childish rage unchecked will, after a while, become a hurricane. Childish petulance will grow up into misanthropy. Childish rebellion will develop into the lawlessness of riot and sedition. If you would ruin the child, dance to his every caprice and stuff him with confectionery. Before you are aware of it that boy of six years will go down the street, a cigar in his mouth, and ready on any corner with his comrades to compare pugilistic attainments. The parent who allows the child to grow up without ever having learned the great duty of obedience and submission has prepared a cup of burning gall for his own lips, and appalling destruction for his descendant.

Every father and mother who reads this paper and have a child in the home have enough on hand. A throne, a crown, a scepter, a kingdom under charge. Be careful how you strike him across the head jarring the brain. What you say to him will be centennial and millennial, and a hundred years and thousand years will not stop the echo and reecho. Do not say, "It is only a child." Rather say, "It is only an immortal." It is only a being that shall outlive sun and moon and stars and ages quadrillional. God has infinite resources and He can give presents of great value, but when He wants to give the richest possible gift to a household He looks around all the worlds and all the universe and then gives a child. The greatest present that God ever gave our world He gave over nineteen hundred years ago, and He gave it on a Christmas night, and it was of such value that Heaven adjourned for a recess and came down and broke through the clouds to look at it. Yea, in all ages God has honored childhood. He makes almost every picture a failure unless there be a child, either playing on the floor, or looking through the window or sitting on the lap, gazing into the face of the mother.

What absurd little things people quarrel about. What trivial matters cause ill-feeling in families. The mutton being roasted too little, or the beef too much; an opinion about the temperature of the house, the style of curtain that ought to be bought for the front windows; the definition of a word, its pronunciation are things that might be argued pleasantly about, but surely are not topics worth a quarrel when peace and good will are of so much importance in the home. A little ill-feeling is like a seed that may grow into a large tree which will shadow the whole house. Many men and women must look back with regret on the hasty word or the cold rebuke which was the entering wedge that split the household in two, and yet how few make a point of uttering the soft word that turneth away wrath.

Your wise mother is not given to worrying over trifles. She does not expect perfection in a day. And she has put from her, as far as the east is from the west, the ghastly possibility of setting vanity up in the room of love. So she does not begin with exhaustive attention to the multitude of etiquette, knowing that way lies the danger of making her boys prigs and her girls self-conscious society misses before they are in their teens. She lays down as the laws of her household the broad principles of respect for elders, reverence for women, kindness for all; and she permeates the home atmosphere with the finest conceptions of the deference and sympathy due from soul to soul. Her children very early delight to place a chair for grandmother and to save father steps. They learn to be proud of that restraint which enables them to keep self in the background, and to defer to brother and sister. It never enters their heads that servants are less worthy of respect than other people. They are unabashed in the presence of wealth and power as they are to tender toward suffering and poverty. When she teaches them from time to time her code of manners—and she is careful to perfect it according to her best judgment—she teaches it for home use, and it becomes fixed by becoming natural.

MAKING A HOME.

It seems a pity that the young woman who is about to establish a home and has the money to spend for its garnishing can not be persuaded from laying it out all at once. She robs herself of so much future enjoyment. The spick and span sets of furniture which are carelessly ordered from an upholsterer, and carried home and stood around her parlor by his men, will never afford her half the satisfaction she can get in a room in which today, she buys a chair, and next week, seeing there must be a table to accompany the chair, she starts on a fresh shopping excursion, and finds a table which is exactly what she is looking for; and in another month, discovering the need of a bookcase or screen, she has again the delight of the hunt, and the gratification of obtaining the prettiest screen and bookcase in the city.

Such a room is a growth, a gathering together, of household treasures little by little, and piece by piece. Each article, bought only when the need arises or when something is happily found to just meet the need, will have a family history which makes it an entertaining as well as a valuable possession. Each couch and footstool is an achievement; each rug and curtain represents a triumph. Such a home built up gradually, with careful planning in each part, with thought and loving consideration in all its details, acquires a meaning for deeper than could be purchased by the longest purse from the most fashionable cabinet maker.

Trade-Mark Sustained.

Buffalo, N. Y.—The Supreme Court has granted a permanent injunction with costs against Paul B. Hudson and others of New York City, restraining them from making or selling a foot powder which the court declares is an imitation and infringement on "Foot-Ease," now so largely advertised and sold over the country. The owner of the trade-mark, "Foot-Ease," is Allen S. Olmsted, of LeRoy, N. Y., and the decision in this suit upholds his trade-mark and renders all parties liable who fraudulently attempt to profit by the extensive "Foot-Ease" advertising, in placing on the market the spurious and similar appearing preparations involved in the case. This the court declares was designed in imitation and infringement of the genuine "Foot-Ease." It is said that similar suits will be brought against others who are now infringing on the Foot-Ease trade-mark rights. Each package of the genuine Allen's Foot-Ease has the facsimile signature of Allen S. Olmsted on its yellow label.

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the newest styles and cuts, in
Velour finished Cassimere, home
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Call for white Oxford's (special)
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OUR NEIGHBORS.

Huntington, W. Va., June 22.—Thos. Diddle, 35, a mechanic, was struck by a train here this evening and instantly killed.

Among the bills passed by the House under suspension of the rules, was that to authorize the Mingo-Martin Coal Land Company to construct a bridge across Tug Fork of Big Sandy river near the mouth of Wolf creek, West Virginia.

Two explosions of premature blasts are reported in the county within a week—one at Denton, in which Joe Catnes and William Crum, miners, lost an eye each, and both otherwise badly injured; and the other accident at the Limestone quarry in which John Viars lost his life and Cage Gee, Jr., was badly injured.

Portsmouth, O., June 22.—William Workman, a ferryman, emptied the contents of a shot gun at William Walhe, a farmer, at Zion, Ky., last night, then crossed the river to this place where he was arrested. Workman claims the shooting was done in self-defense, and Walhe first shot through his hat. Walhe's body was riddled with shot.

Mr. and Mrs. James Spears, of Downs, Kansas, who attended the "Home Coming" at Louisville for a short time, came on and went to Round Bottom, W. Va., where they are now sojourning for a few days, guests of the families of James Prichard and Mrs. L. T. Smith, Sr. They will go soon to Roanoke, Va., to visit relatives before returning to Kansas.

London, Ky., June 23.—One of the most shocking tragedies ever known in Laurel county occurred this morning about 9 o'clock at the residence of Abraham Carmack, three miles south of here.

Sherman Collier, about thirty-five years old and prominently related, shot and instantly killed his wife and with the same weapon immediately sent a bullet through his own brain, falling lifeless across her body.

Maysville, Ky., June 23.—At 1:30 o'clock this morning a hold-up took place on the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad at Brent station, west of here. Night Operator Jones was at his key, when two hoboos, as he thought, entered the room. When he looked up he was covered with two revolvers, the men wearing masks. They took \$150 in money and two gold watches. The alarm was given and search made, but they could not be located.

Another fatal shooting has occurred in this county and it is feared by those who are acquainted with the parties concerned that there will be more trouble.

On Monday George Chapman shot and killed Harrison Collins and seriously wounded Lane Collins, Jr. The shooting occurred at the storehouse of Levi Gibson on the right fork of Ben Creek.

The story of the affair as related to a representative of the Republican is that the two Collies boys, on Monday, went to the store house of Levi Gibson and started trouble. No fighting was done in the house, but it is reported that when the Collies boys went outside they opened fire on the building. George Chapman, who was in the house with Mr. Gibson, walked to the door and returned the fire with a revolver. One shot struck Harrison Collins directly over the heart and he was instantly killed. Two shots took effect in Lane Collins, Jr., one in the hip and the other in the leg, inflicting serious wounds.

It is said that the trouble was brought about by an old grudge and that the father of the boys, Lane Collins, Sr., and Mr. Gibson, had heretofore had some difficulty over business matters. This is given as

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4,500 yards of assorted Prints,
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the probable cause of the Collins
boys action when they entered the
store house.

George Chapman, who did the
shooting is brother-in-law to Gib-
son. He immediately surrendered
to the authorities and is now in the
county jail. He will have a preliminary
hearing in this city on Saturday,
tomorrow.

It is feared by the friends of both
parties that more trouble will be the
outcome of the shooting, although
they are doing all in their power to
prevent it.

Both parties are prominently con-
nected—Southwestern Virginian.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lancaster, prominent
in Lexington, probably were fatally
injured in a runaway accident at
Oil Springs, Ky., Sunday.

Congress has appropriated \$7,000 to
provide a site for a public building in
Catlettsburg.

Whereat Ashland promptly threw
a fit.

The Senate passed a bill authorizing
the Borderland Coal Company to
construct a bridge across the Tug
branch of the Big Sandy river, where
it forms the boundary between Ken-
tucky and West Virginia.

A dispute arose Monday between
two brothers, Dan and Wat Klaner,
of near Buchanan, regarding the
ownership of a scythe which resulted
in Wat slashing Dan three times with
the scythe, inflicting some ugly
wounds, which, however, are not
thought to be dangerous.

Shortly after 9 o'clock Saturday
morning, Hiram Snyder fell to his
death from the rear steeple of the
First M. E. Church, at the corner of
Fourth avenue and Tenth street.

Snider was a painter in the employ
of the church board and was engaged
in painting the top of the chimney
that runs up even with the top of
the rear steeple or gable, the top of
which is 60 feet above the ground.
He had been working on a flimsy
scaffold made of small boards, barely
tacked together with wire nails, the
nails not even being clinched when
driven through the boards. Judge
Lallance who had the contract for
painting the edifice, had warned him
of his danger not ten minutes before
the rotten support broke precipitating
Snider to the brick pavement, 60
feet below.

The victim landed first on the slate
roof, breaking a number of the slate
shingles, and bounded from there to
the pavement, and bounded from there
to the pavement, 25 feet away, landing
on his head and shoulders. The
back of his skull was smashed like
an egg shell and the brain terribly
lacerated by the broken bone.—Hun-
tington Dispatch.

The following named persons in
Butler district were chosen as com-
missioners to hold a primary election
July 28. Commissioners are also
named for every other district in
Wayne county: Cassville, L. Frazier
and Eugene Romans; Head Hurricane,
H. B. Thompson and Lewis Bartram;
Echo, Henderson Huff and N. T.
Lester; Sugar Branch, William Jen-
nings and Clayburn Wellman; Dean
School House, James Smith and Al-
len Wilson; Ward School House, C.
F. Rigg and D. H. Johnson.

With his marriage license in his
pocket, which he had just secured in
anticipation of his wedding to the
girl of his choice, Lewis Dempsey, of
near Nolan, W. Va., was run down
and killed by N. & W. train No. 3
Monday night. Dempsey had been to
Williamson and secured the license.
There being no train out of that
place when he was ready to go home,
he started to walk the distance.
Tired out by his day's work, it is
presumed he sat down to rest on the
track, and fell asleep. When hit by
the train he was hurled a distance
of 15 feet and was terribly crushed
about the face and body. Travelling
men on the train say he was taken to
Naugatuck. He died at that place
before the train reached Kenova.

Crops look tolerably well, except
on which are very short.

Wm. Hays, of Charley, was visiting
his father recently.

F. M. Berry like to have been killed
the other day while helping Al Hays
haul some bridge lumber. Slip.

Total \$183 485 86

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in \$50 000 00

Surplus fund 3 800 00

Undivided profits, less ex-
penses and taxes paid 2,302 88

National Bank notes out-
standing 22 500 00

Due other National Banks
Individual deposits subject
to check \$102,224 13

Demand certificates of de-
posit \$1 221 30 103,445 43

Total \$183 485 86

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COUNTY OF LAWRENCE, 'ss:

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the above statement is true to the best
of my knowledge and belief.

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